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The Office of the United States Attorney for the Southern District of Illinois is responsible for the prosecution of all federal crimes in the southern part of Illinois. The office also represents the United States and its departments and agencies in civil proceedings filed in federal courts in the 7th Circuit. Volunteer interns assist in the prosecution and defense of both criminal and civil cases in the District Court, the Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit, and the Bankruptcy Court.

Projected No. of Volunteers: 9

Internship Location(s): Fairview Heights, IL.

Application Materials: Resume, dates when available, and telephone number(s) where a student can be reached during the day and in the evening

Qualifications: First-year (second semester) and second-year law students. **Must be a U.S. citizen.** Will be subject to a background investigation due to the sensitive nature of the work performed in the U.S. Attorney's Office.

Application Deadline: Summer of 2006: February 24, 2006

Minimum Weeks Required: 10 weeks, at least 24 hours per week

Salary: Volunteer (without compensation)

Assignments: Interns can expect to research and write motions in pending cases; to research legal issues for indictments and investigations; to assemble exhibits for trial; to observe hearings and trials of cases on which they are working or in which they are interested.

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